

CHAPTER NO. 587

SENATE BILL NO. 2215

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Substituted for: House Bill No. 2187

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AN ACT To make appropriations for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the state government for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2001, in the administration, operation and maintenance of the legislative, executive and judicial branches of the various departments, institutions, offices and agencies of the state; and to establish certain provisions, limitations and restrictions under which appropriations may be obligated and expended. This act makes appropriations for the purposes described above for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2001.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. In addition to any funds heretofore appropriated, there is hereby appropriated the amount of one million eight hundred seventy thousand eight hundred dollars (\$1,870,800) for homeland security purposes to be allocated in the following amounts:

1. Office of the Governor	\$ 312,100
2. Department of Military	430,000
3. Tennessee Bureau of Investigation	200,000
4. Department of Safety	455,200
5. Tennessee Emergency Management Agency	473,500
Total Section 1.	\$1,870,800

Provided, that expenditures for homeland security pursuant to this section shall not be made for any purpose or activity for which federal funds are available if the expenditure of such state funds would result in violation of anti-supplanting restrictions in federal law and a loss of federal funds. It is the legislative intent, recognizing the national scope of homeland security requirements, that federal funds be utilized for homeland security purposes to the fullest extent possible.

SECTION 2. In addition to any funds heretofore appropriated, there is hereby appropriated a sum sufficient for the purpose of funding SB 3192/HB 3232 relative to homeland security, if such bill becomes law.

SECTION 3. Pursuant to Section 67-4-409(j), there is appropriated to the Department of Environment and Conservation from funds in the state lands acquisition fund a sum sufficient to open all following state parks closed as of March 1, 2002--Henry Horton, Norris Dam, Frozen Head, Burgess Falls, Big Ridge, Bledsoe Creek, Dunbar Cave, Indian Mountain, Johnsonville, Panther Creek, Port Royal, and Bruton Branch and Big Cypress Natural Area--and to otherwise fund operations of the state park system including restoration of normal operating days and hours at all parks and Big Cypress Natural Area; provided that any agreements between the Department of Environment and Conservation and the Tennessee Wildlife Resources Agency entered into before April 3, 2002 concerning the Big Cypress Natural Area are subject to renegotiation by the department and the agency and the Department of Environment and Conservation shall have full control of such property subject to further agreements.

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect immediately upon passage, the public welfare requiring it.

PASSED: April 3, 2002


JOHN S. WILDER
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE


JIMMY NAIFEH, SPEAKER
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APPROVED this 9th day of April 2002


DON SUNDQUIST, GOVERNOR